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Art Unit

1745

Examiner

C. Chaney

Appln. No.

09/213,544

Applicant Filing Date

John C. Nardi

For

December 17, 1998

ALKALINE CELL HAVING A CATHODE INCORPORATING

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed June 14, 2000 finally rejecting claims 1-21.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of:

x other than a small entity small entity

Verified Statement

___ attached ___ previously submitted on _____

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2.	FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL				
	Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:				
	small entity _x other than a small of		•		
				Notice of Appeal fee due:	\$ 310.00
3. EXTENSION OF TERM					
			(complete	e (a) or (b) as applicable)	
§1.136	_		igs herein are for a	patent application and the prov	risions of 37 C.F.R.
	(a) <u>x</u> Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §§1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:				
		Extens	ion	Fee for other than	Fee for
	(months) one month			small entity	small entity
				\$110.00	\$55.00
	x two months			\$390.00	\$195.00
	three months four months			\$890.00	\$445.00
				\$1390.00	\$695.00
				Fee:	\$ 390.00
If a	n add	itional e	xtension of time is	s required please consider this	a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

An extension for one month has already been secured and the fee paid (b) therefor of \$110 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

> Extension fee due with this request: \$280.00

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4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee: \$310.00 Extension fee (if any): \$280.00 Total Fee Due: \$590.00

5. FEE PAYMENT

- Attached is a check in the sum of \$590.00
- Charge Account No. 16 2463 the sum of \$_____ A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

6. FEE DEFICIENCY

x If any additional extension and/or fee is required charge Account No. 16 2463.

and/or

x If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 16 2463.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. NARDI

By: Price, Heneveld, Cooper, DeWitt & Litton

November 14, 2000.

Date

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